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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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For (title): SLAB-COUPLED OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE LASER AND AMPLIFIER

1. **Type of Application**

- Utility
- Design

2. **Small Entity**

- Yes
- No

3. **Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) Under 35 U.S.C. §120**

This application is a:

- Divisional
- Continuation
- Continuing Patent Application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d)
- Continuation-in-part (CIP),

and hereby claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. §120 to the following applications:

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4. **Benefit of Non-U.S. Application Under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d)**

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d) to the following foreign application(s) and/or inventor certificate(s):

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Certified copy(ies) of the application(s) and/or inventor certificate's from which priority is claimed:

- is(are) attached;
- will follow.

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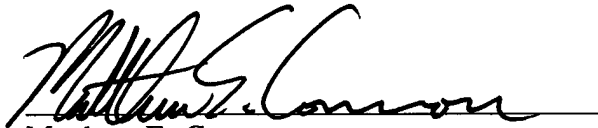
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